

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF ALABAMA  
EASTERN DIVISION**

R.A., Jr., (a minor child, by and through  
his Father and next best friend, Richard  
Lemmel Arnold), )

Plaintiff, )

v. )

DEPUTY SHERIFF WALTER LACEY, )

Defendant. )

Civil Action No. 3:06-CV-337-WHA

**SPECIAL INTERROGATORIES TO THE JURY**

**Do you find by a preponderance of the evidence:**

1. That the Defendant intentionally committed acts that violated the Plaintiff's federal constitutional right not to be subjected to excessive force or unreasonable force during a seizure?

Answer Yes or No No

2. That the Defendant's acts were the proximate cause or legal cause of damage or harm sustained by the Plaintiff?

Answer Yes or No No

**NOTE: If you answered "No" to either Question No. 1 or Question No. 2, skip the remaining questions and have your foreperson sign this verdict form at the bottom of the page. If you answered "Yes" to both Question No. 1 and Question No. 2, continue to Question No. 3.**

3. That the Plaintiff should be awarded damages to compensate for the reasonable cost of medical care?

Answer Yes or No \_\_\_\_\_

If your answer is "Yes," in what amount? \_\_\_\_\_

- 4a. That the Plaintiff should be awarded damages to compensate for physical and emotional pain and mental anguish?

Answer Yes or No \_\_\_\_\_

If your answer is "Yes," in what amount? \_\_\_\_\_

**OR**

- 4b. That the Plaintiff should be awarded nominal damages in the amount of \$1.00.

Answer Yes or No \_\_\_\_\_

5. That the Defendant acted with malice or with reckless indifference to the Plaintiff's federally protected rights and that punitive damages should be assessed against the Defendant?

Answer Yes or No \_\_\_\_\_

If your answer is "Yes," in what amount? \_\_\_\_\_

SO SAY WE ALL.

Sarah Blair  
Foreperson

DATED: May 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2007